

AMENDMENT
S/N 09/752,272, FILED 01/02/01

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REMARKS

The above-referenced Office Action has been carefully reviewed and reconsideration thereof is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-10 have been rejected under 35 USC 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite. The Examiner's suggestions have been adopted and it is believed that the above amendments to Claims 1 and 9 fully overcome this ground of rejection.

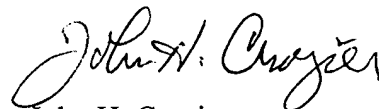
A set of formal drawings to be filed in the present application is submitted herewith. No new material has been inserted in the drawings.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the claims in the application, Claims 1-10 are allowable and early action in that regard is respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner have any questions as to the allowability of the claims or have any suggestions with respect to the wording thereof, the undersigned would be grateful for the privilege of a telephone conference with the Examiner.

Date: June 16, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



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